

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF SOUTH DAKOTA  
WESTERN DIVISION

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ZACHARY D. LUDENS,

Plaintiff,

vs.

CHIEF JUSTICE DAVID E.  
GILBERTSON, IN HIS OFFICIAL  
CAPACITY AS THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF  
THE SOUTH DAKOTA SUPREME  
COURT; JUSTICE JANINE M. KERN, IN  
HER OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS A  
JUSTICE OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA  
SUPREME COURT; JUSTICE PATRICIA  
J. DEVANEY, IN HER OFFICIAL  
CAPACITY AS A JUSTICE OF THE  
SOUTH DAKOTA SUPREME COURT;  
JUDGE SUSAN M. SABERS, IN HER  
OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS THE CHAIR OF  
THE SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF BAR  
EXAMINERS; LARRY M. VON WALD, IN  
HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS A  
MEMBER OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA  
BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS; JACK H.  
HIEB, IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS A  
MEMBER OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA  
BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS; JUDGE  
JANE WIPF PFEIFLE, IN HER OFFICIAL  
CAPACITY AS A MEMBER OF THE  
SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF BAR  
EXAMINERS; REED RASMUSSEN, IN  
HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS A  
MEMBER OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA  
BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS; STEVEN  
R. BLAIR, IN HIS OFFICIAL CAPACITY  
AS AN ASSISTANT ATTORNEY  
GENERAL AND COUNSEL TO THE  
SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF BAR

5:20-CV-05027-KES

ORDER GRANTING  
MOTION TO SEAL

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EXAMINERS; SHERIDAN CASH ANDERSON, IN HER OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS SECRETARY OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF BAR EXAMINERS; SHIRLEY JAMESON-FERGEL, IN HER OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS THE CLERK OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA SUPREME COURT; AND LAURA J. GRAVES, IN HER OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS THE CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK OF THE SOUTH DAKOTA SUPREME COURT;	
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Defendants.

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Plaintiff, Zachary D. Ludens, moves the court for a protective order.

Docket 2. The court construes Luden's motion as a motion to seal exhibits attached to his complaint because the documents contain confidential and personal information. *See id.* Good cause appearing, it is

ORDERED that Luden's motion to seal (Docket 2) is granted. The attached exhibits (Dockets 2-1-2-26) shall be sealed.

Dated April 30, 2020.

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Karen E. Schreier

KAREN E. SCHREIER  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE